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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Attorney Docket No. 15548US01)

In the Application of: S. Nemazie et al.

Serial No.: 09/892,649

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For: MIXED-SIGNAL SINGLE-CHIP
INTEGRATED SYSTEM
ELECTRONICS FOR DATA
STORAGE DEVICES

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APPLICANT'S REQUEST FOR THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment
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Sir:

The Office issued a rejection in the present application on September 19, 2005. Applicants submit the attached Request for Three Month Extension of Time, extending the due date for responding to this action to March 19, 2006.

Applicants have decided to pursue their claims in a continuation application, which is filed concurrently herewith.

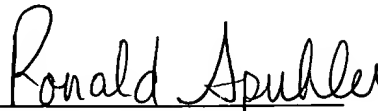
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Amdt. & Response to Office Action dated January 4, 2005

Date: March 17, 2006

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ronald Spuhler". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above a horizontal line.

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